HEWLETT-PACKARD COMPANY PATENT APPLICATION Intellectual Property Administration P. O. Box 272400 ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 10004551-1 Fort Collins, Colorado 80527-2400 AND TRADEMARK OFFICE UNITED Inventor(s): Robert E. Johnson et al. Confirmation No.: 3208 AUG 1 0 2004 **Application No.: 09/845,844** Examiner: E. J. Bross Filing Date: Group Art Unit: 2126 04-30-2001 Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR COMMUNICATION OF DATA BETWEEN A HOST AND AN ADMINISTRATION SYSTEM RECEIVED Mail Stop Amendment AUG 1 7 2004 **Commissioner for Patents** PO Box 1450 **Technology Center 2100** Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE/AMENDMENT Sir: Transmitted herewith is/are the following in the above-identified application: Response/Amendment (X) Petition to extend time to respond New fee as calculated below Supplemental Declaration () (X) No additional fee () Other: (fee \$ CLAIMS AS AMENDED BY OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY (2) (3) (4) (5) (1) HIGHEST NUMBER FOR CLAIMS REMAINING NUMBER PRESENT **ADDITIONAL** RATE AFTER AMENDMENT **EXTRA** PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR **EXTRA FEES** TOTAL MINUS **CLAIMS** Х 25 25 0 \$18 0 INDEP. 3 MINUS 3 0 Х \$86 \$ 0 **CLAIMS**] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM \$ \$290 0 EXTENSION 1ST MONTH 2ND MONTH 3RD MONTH 4TH MONTH \$ 0 FEE \$420.00 \$950.00 \$1480.00 \$110.00 OTHER FEES TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT to Deposit Account 08-2025. At any time during the pendency of this application, please charge any fees required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 08-2025 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25. Additionally please charge any fees to Deposit Account 08-2025 under 37 CFR 1.16 through 1.21 inclusive, and any other sections in Title 37 of the Code of Federal Regulations that may regulate fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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